

# ACOL PARISH COUNCIL

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## AGENDA

A Meeting of Acol Parish Council will be held in the Village Hall, Acol, on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at 11.00am to consider the business set out below and to pass such resolutions as deemed necessary on those items set out within the agenda.

### **1. MINUTES**

To approve the minutes of the Meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2021 (copy attached – Appendix A)

### **2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence (if any)

### **3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Members are invited to disclose any interest in any of the matters referred to within the agenda.

### **4. REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN**

The Chairman will report upon the following matters which have arisen since the last meeting:-

Community Payback scheme.

Highways, with grateful thanks to our contact for his attention and action.

Attendance of a fire appliance in village to show to pre-school children.

Acol Village Hall Committee is about to purchase a defibrillator.

Mugs available to commemorate Her Majesty The Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022.

TDC By-Election in village hall on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

### **5. SIGNAGE ON ROADS**

Councillor Mrs. Winpenny will raise the issue of the need for signage on roads near to the Recreation Ground.

### **6. THANET RURAL REGENERATION GROUP/SPEEDWATCH**

Councillor Mrs. Osborne will report on the latest situation with regard to ongoing discussions in respect of TRRG and the Speedwatch initiative.

### **7. REPORT ON THE REFURBISHMENT OF THE CHILDRENS' PLAYGROUND**

(i) Councillor Hayfield to report.

(ii) Urgent Remedial works to the Recreation Ground – The Clerk will report on a quotation being sought for urgent works to the Rec. such works having been delayed due to the covid pandemic. The works will include the making safe of the equipment on the play area, the reinstatement of fencing and works to the large iron gate at the entrance to the Rec.

The Clerk has had discussions with County Councillor Linda Wright who will report to Members on the amount she is able to contribute from her member's allowance towards the costs of these remedial works.

## 8. CLERK'S REPORT

(i) **General** - The Clerk will report upon any urgent matter that may have arisen since the despatch of the agenda.

### (ii) FINANCIAL MATTERS

(a) **Payments Schedule** – A detailed payments schedule will be tabled at the meeting. The following payments have been paid since the last meeting:

<u>Chg No</u>	<u>Payee</u>	<u>Details</u>	<u>VAT</u>	<u>Amount</u>
717	Hughes and Son	Grass cut	0.00	140.00
718	D. Hayfield	Energy costs`	0.00	53.00

**Bank Balance** - The bank balance at 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021 will be reported to the meeting.

(b) **General** – The Clerk to report on preparation of the budget for 2022/23 and any other financial matter as appropriate.

## 9. REPORTS FROM COUNTY & DISTRICT COUNCILLORS

To receive reports as appropriate.

## 10. MATTERS OF REPORT BY MEMBERS

To receive reports as appropriate.

## 11. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Members are requested to agree the date for the next meeting. For Members' guidance it will be necessary to hold a meeting in early January 2022 to consider and approve the budget and precept requirement for submission to TDC.

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1<sup>st</sup> November 2021